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Terrain Features

Objectives **Module 4**
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At the end of the lesson, the students will be able to identify terrain features and military map. Under this Terminal Learning Objective, the students will be able to:

1. Express distances between places. This task will include:
- Request/provide distance between different points or locations
- Provide distance in meters and degrees
- Talk about places of destination

2. Read a map. This task will include:
- Locate certain terrain features
- Use map reading terminology and scale
- Read the legend of the map

3. Recognize road signs. This task will include:
- Describe road signs
- Identify road signs
- Describe road conditions
- Request/respond information about traffic rules, speed limits, and parking
- Compare US traffic regulations to the TR
- Compare US highway travel with the TR

4. Identify terrain features. This task will include:
- Locate different terrain features
- Discuss the main terrain features in a military map
- Discuss advantages and disadvantages of certain terrain features in military operations
- Inquire/discuss terrain features of certain area in the TR

5. Discuss geographical features of the target region. This task will include:
- Describe terrain features of the target region
- Describe transportation routes
- Discuss topographical advantages for military activities or training
- Discuss topographical disadvantages for military activities or training
- Describe natural forest
- Describe rivers, lakes, ponds, coastal locations
- Describe reservoirs in the target region

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It is important to have some knowledge about the geography of the foreign country, its terrain features, traffic regulations and road signs. The ability to read a map belongs to this group as well. All maps are different, so it is imperative to examine in detail the map symbols and to know what relates to each symbol.

> *Tip of the Day*
>
> [illegible] **–** *degree* is the unit to measure angles, temperature, and concentration.

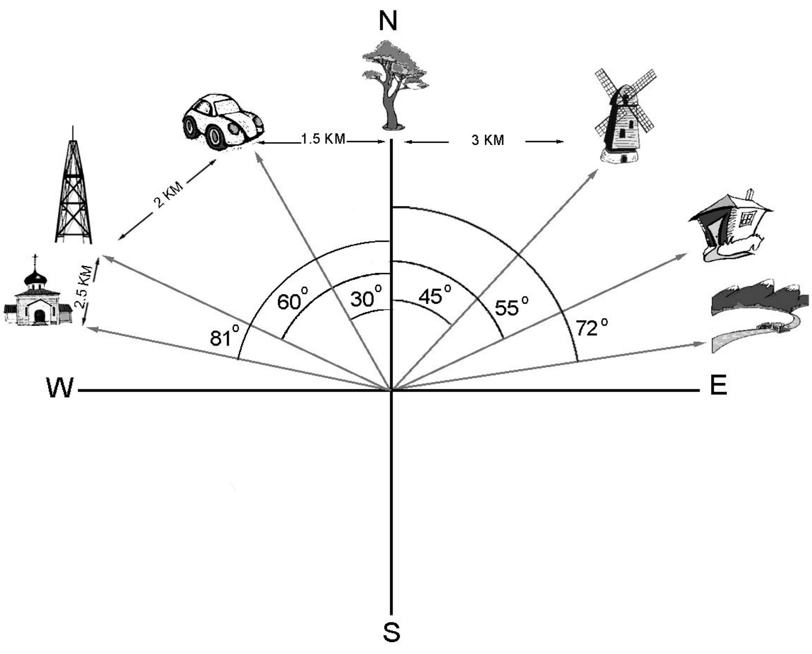
[illegible] *(Distance)*

Exercise 1 (Pair Work)

Ask each other questions about distances and answer them according to the image given below. Follow the example.

Example: [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible].[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]



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Tip of the Day □□□□□□□□□ – *the scale* represents the ratio of a distance on the map to the actual distance on the ground.

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Exercise 2

Look at the map legends below and try to figure out what each legend represents. Match the vocabulary with the letters.

a. ________________

b. ________________

c. ________________

d. ________________

e. ________________

f. ________________

g. ________________

h. ________________

i. ________________

j. ________________

k. ________________

l. ________________

m. ________________

n. ________________

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1. [illegible] 2. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 3. [illegible]

4. [illegible] 5. [illegible] 6. [illegible] [illegible]

7. [illegible] 8. [illegible] [illegible] 9. [illegible] [illegible]

10. [illegible] 11.[illegible] [illegible] 12. [illegible] [illegible]

13.[illegible] 14.[illegible]

Answers: 1.c 2.f 3.i 4.h 5.j 6.e 7.b 8.l 9.g 10.d 11.m 12.k 13.a 14.n

Exercise 3
Match the symbols with the words below.

a.[illegible] b. [illegible] c. [illegible] d.[illegible] e.[illegible]

f. [illegible] g.[illegible] h.[illegible] i. [illegible] j. [illegible]

k. [illegible] l. [illegible] m. [illegible] n. [illegible] [illegible]

Answers: 1.j 2.e 3.n 4.l 5.g 6.b 7.k 8.a 9.i 10.d 11.c 12.m 13.h 14.f

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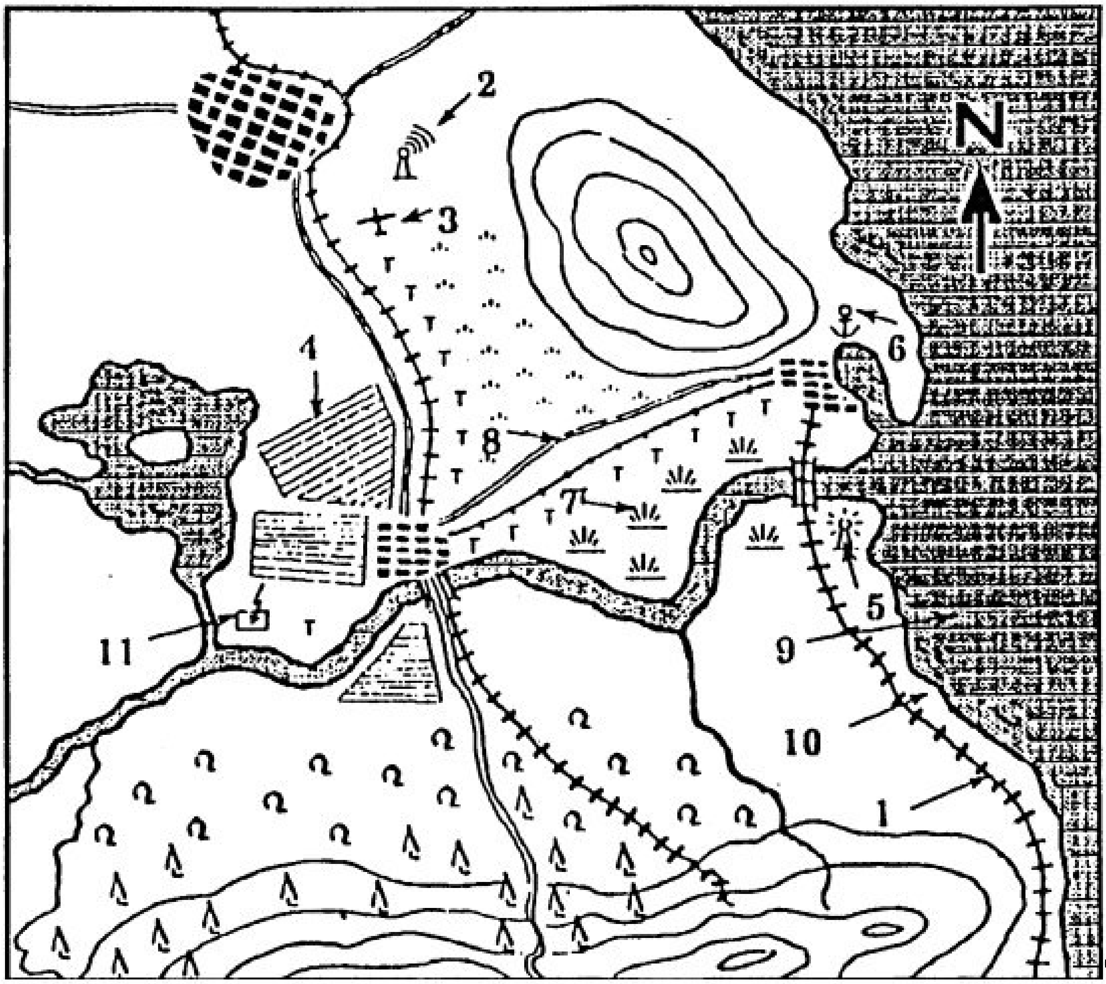
Exercise 4
Describe the features shown on the military map below and their location.



Exercise 5 (Pair Work)
With your partner, take turns giving directions on how to go from one location to another referring to the map from the previous exercise.

useful verbs:

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□□□□□ *until*

□□□/□□□□□□□ *far right/left*

□□□□□ □□□□□□□ *to the left*

□□□□□□ *to the right*

□□□□□□□ *back*
□□□□ *pass*, □□□□□□ *going up*, □□□□ *coming down*, □□□ *along*, □□□□□ *to go along the edge of*, □□□□ *to detour*, □□□□□□□ *walk across*

[illegible]

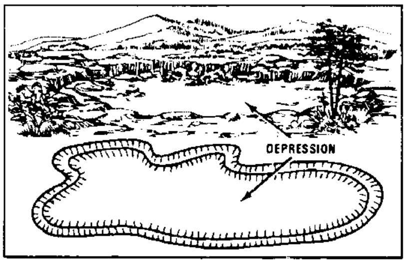

Figure 10. A depression.

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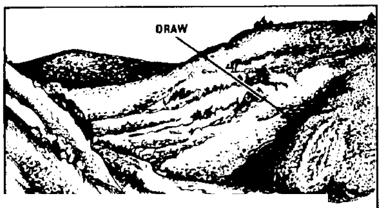
[illegible]



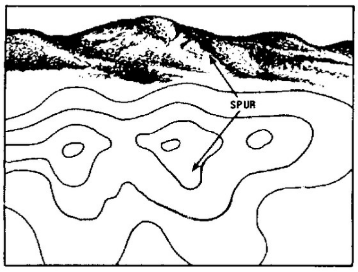


Figure 12. A spur.

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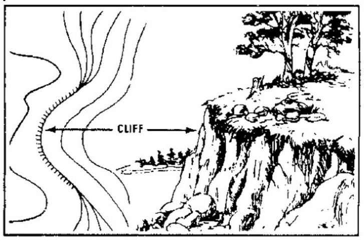

Figure 13. A cliff.

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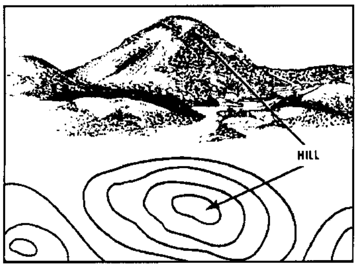

Figure 6. A hill.

[illegible]

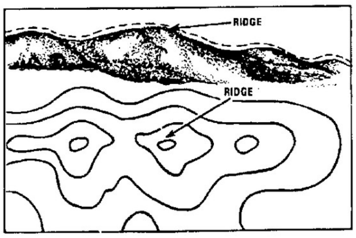

Figure 7. A ridge.

[illegible]

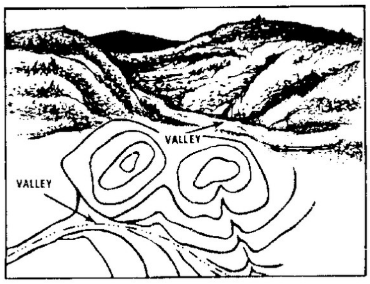

Figure 8. A valley.

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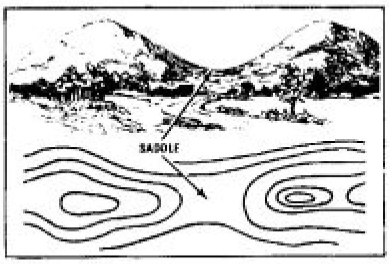

Figure 9. A saddle.

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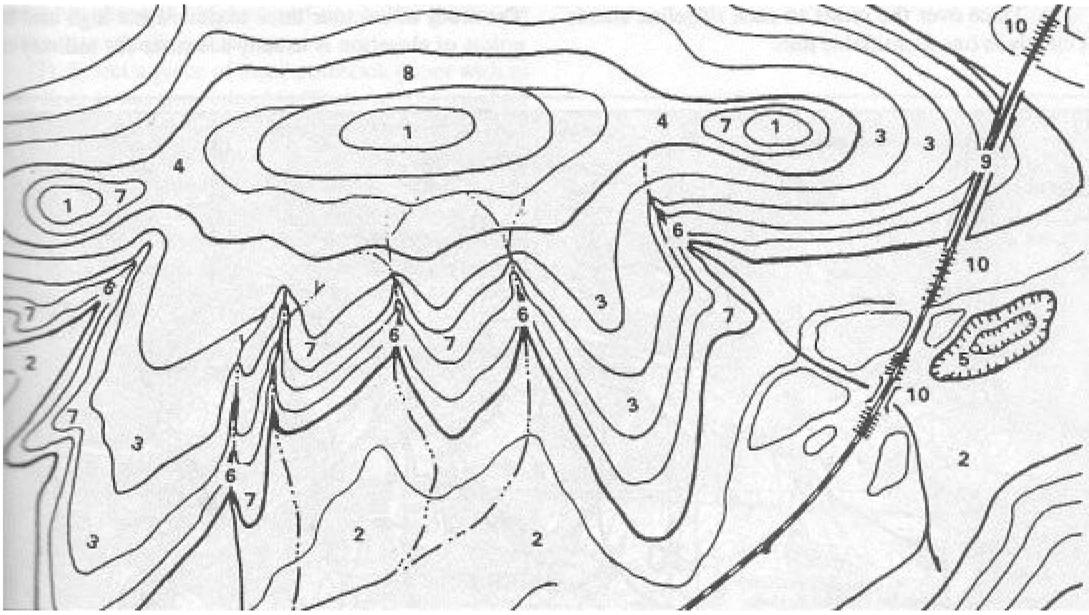
Tip of the Day

Emphasizing the main contour lines is a technique used to interpret the terrain of an area. By studying these contour lines, you will get a better understanding of the layout of the terrain and be able to decide on the best route.

Exercise 6
Study the map showing terrain features mentioned on the previous page. Each feature is numbered. Write its name for each number in Thai. Compare your work with a partner.



1. ______________ 2. ______________ 3. ______________

4. ______________ 5. ______________ 6. ______________

7. ______________ 8. ______________

Answers:
1. เนินเขา 2. หุบเขา 3. สันเขา
4. คอเขา 5. ที่ต่ำ 6. หุบเขาแคบๆ
7. ชะง่อนผา 8. หน้าผา

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To describe the characteristics and properties of various areas:

[illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] *open* [illegible]
passable on foot

[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] *easily surveyed* [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] *populated*
[illegible] *wooded* [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Exercise 7
Find the opposites.

1. [illegible] a. [illegible]
2. [illegible] b. [illegible]
3. [illegible] c. [illegible]
4. [illegible] d. [illegible]
5. [illegible] e. [illegible]
6. [illegible] f. [illegible]
7. [illegible] g. [illegible]
8. [illegible] h. [illegible]

Answers:	1.d	2.g	3.f	4.e	5.b	6.h	7.c	8.a

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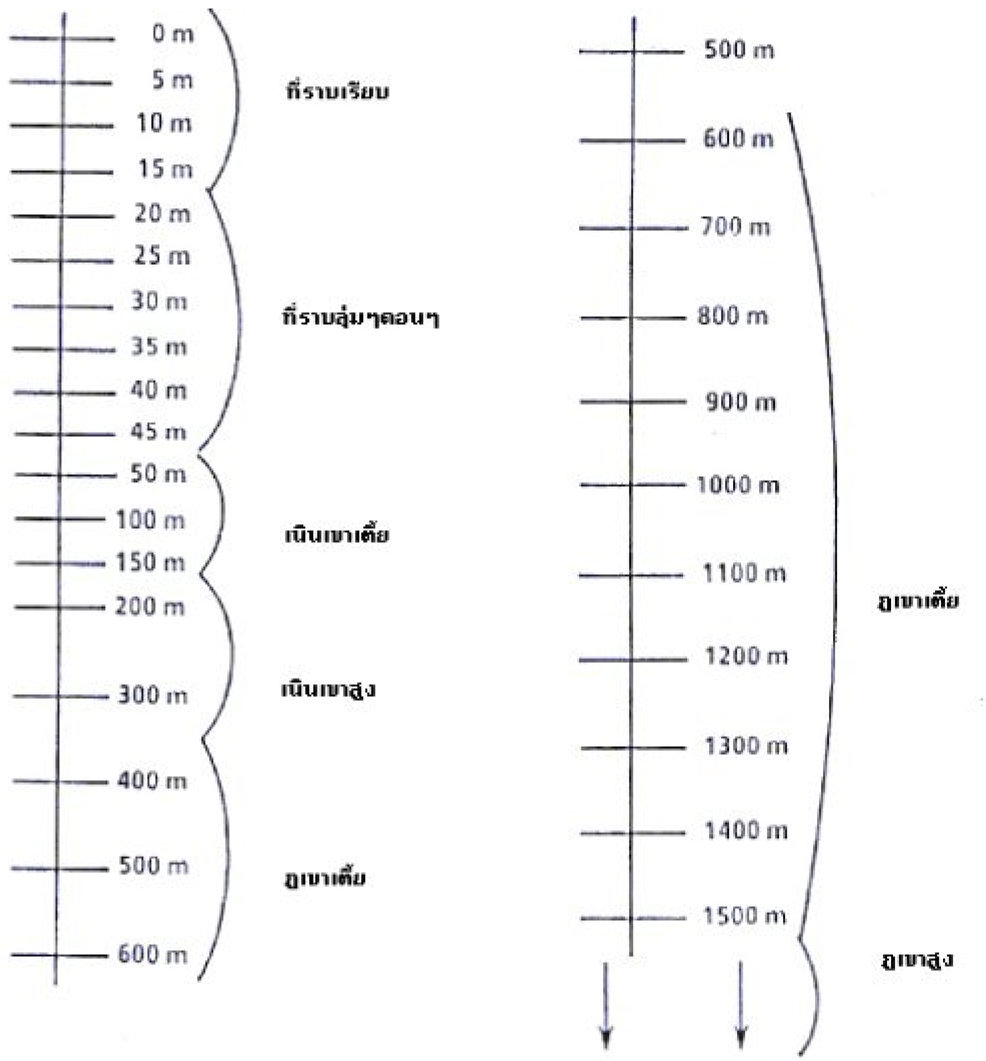
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เนินเขาสูง
ภูเขาเตี้ย
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700 m
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900 m
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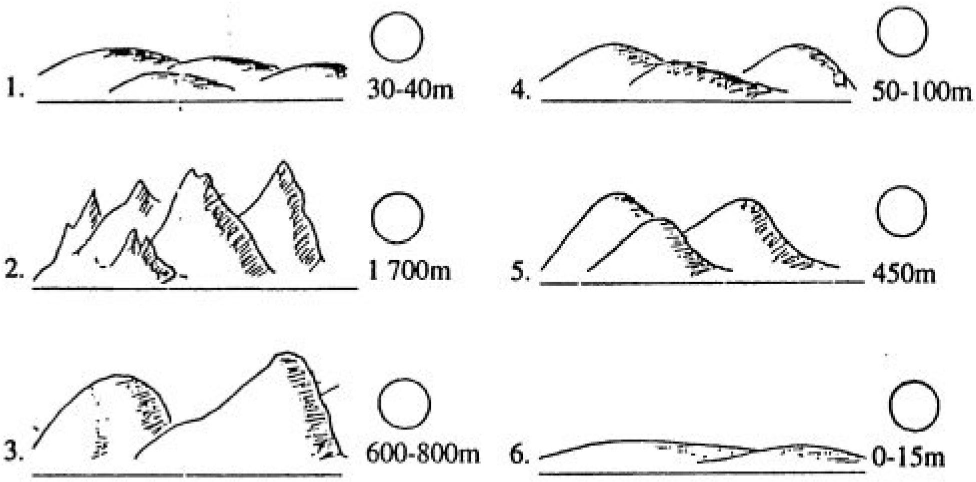
1100 m
1200 m
1300 m
1400 m
1500 m
ภูเขาเตี้ย
ภูเขาสูง

Exercise 8
Match the following terrains with the appropriate Thai description by placing the correct number of the illustration next to the text.

a. □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ *rolling plain* d. □□□□□□ □□□□□ *flat plain*
b. □□□□□□□□□□ *high hills* e. □□□□□□□□□□ *low mountains*
c. □□□□□□□□ *high mountains* f. □□□□□□□ □□□□□ *hills*



Answers: a. 1 b.5 c.2 d.6 e.3 f.4	

Exercise 9
Fill in the blanks to describe some major topographical features of the US.

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Answers: 1. ทะเลสาบ 2. แม่น้ำ 3. เทือกเขา 4. ป่าไม้
5. มหาสมุทร

6. มหาสมุทร / ฝั่ง

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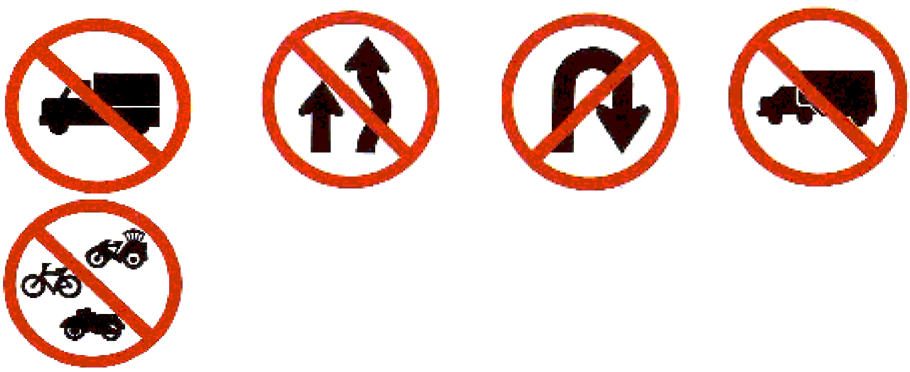
[illegible] *(Road Signs)*

> *Tip of the Day*
>
> You will be confused by the fact that buses, quite legally, often travel in the opposite direction to everybody else on one-way streets. International signs exist (not always in places where they can be seen), but many signs are only written in Thai. Ignorance of the law, or the plea that you do not read Thai is, of course, no excuse whatsoever. * Driving is on the left, most of the time!

Exercise 10 (Pair Work)
Study the images and description of some road signs in Thai and compare it with the road signs in the USA. Are there any differences?

Prohibiting signs:

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]



[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]

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Limitations:

จำกัดน้ำหนัก จำกัดความกว้าง จำกัดความสูง จำกัดความเร็ว

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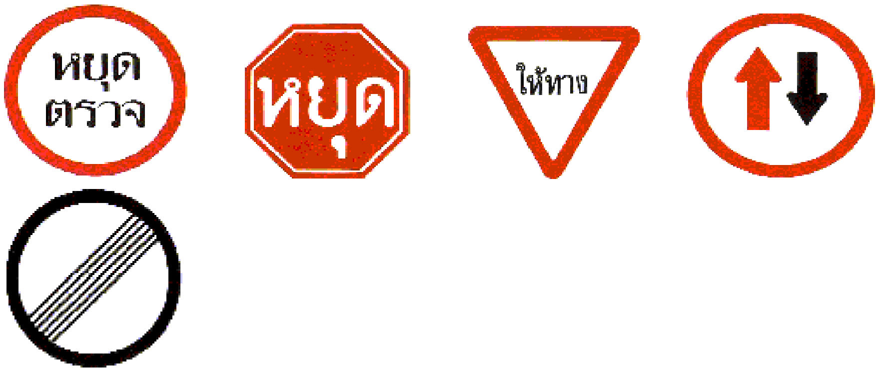
Directing signs:



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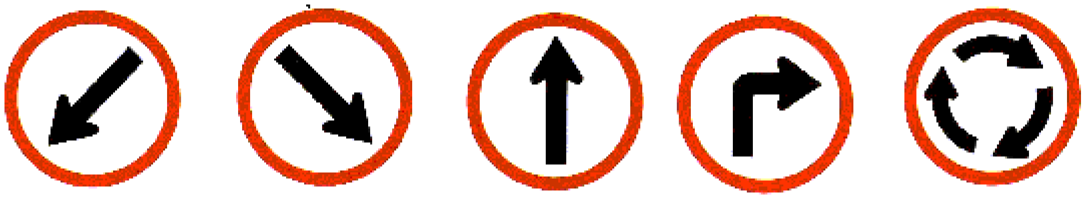
[illegible]



[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]

Useful Expressions:

[illegible]	main street
[illegible]	one-way street
[illegible]	two-way street
[illegible]	secondary street
[illegible] ([illegible])	drivers license
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible].	the speed is 35 kilometers an hour
[illegible]	ticket
[illegible]	receive a ticket
[illegible]	parking in the prohibited zone
[illegible]	to register a car

□□□□□□□ *(Road conditions)*

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Exercise 11

Read the following dialog between Sergeants Wiwat and Nophon about their military training and answer the questions below.

Wiwat. [illegible]
Nophon. [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]
Wiwat. [illegible]
Nophon. [illegible] [illegible]
Wiwat.P. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible]
Nophon. [illegible] [illegible]
Nophon. [illegible].[illegible]
Wiwat. [illegible]
Nophon. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].[illegible]

1. According to the text, where do you think the military training t ook place?
2. Describe the conditions of the road that the Infantry unit went t hrough.
3. How long did it take the unit to reach the military base last time?
4. What was the distance between the campsite and the base?

Answers: 1. It took place somewhere in the forest. 2. The road was muddy because of the rain. There was also fog. 3. Around three hours. 4. Hundred kilometers.

Exercise 12

Read the text about the terrain features of Thailand and decide if the statements are true or false. Refer to the vocabulary list for the unfamiliar words.

ภาคเหนือและภาคตะวันตกมีทิวเขาและที่
ราบหุบเขาสลับกันเป็นแนวขนานจาก เหนือมาใต้ ภาคตะวันออกเฉียงเหนือ
พื้นที่เป็นที่ราบสูง มีขอบสูงชันทางด้าน ตะวันตกและ
ด้านใต้ ภาคกลางส่วนใหญ่
เป็นที่ราบลุ่มแม่น้ำมีแม่นำ้เจ้าพระยาและ แม่น้ำท่าจีนไหลผ่าน เป็นบริเวณที่มีขนาดใหญ่ที่สุดของประเทศ มีความ อุดมสมบูรณ์มากกว่าภา
คอื่นๆ ภาคตะวัน ออก เป็น
ที่ราบชายฝั่งทะเล และ ภาคใต้เป็นดินแดนแห่งคาบสมุทรและ
ชายฝั่ง ทะเล มีทิวเขาสูงทาง
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1. To the north, Thailand has rich fertile plains. _____ _____

2. The mountains and hills are mostly in the northern and the western part of the country. _____ _____

3. The alluvial plains in the central are of great importance for the country. _____ _____

4. The distinguishing natural features of peninsular in the south are long coastlines. _____ _____

Answers: 1.F 2.T 3.T 4.T

Exercise 13
Class activity. Your instructor will conduct this activity. Follow his/her instructions.

Instructor's note: Bring pictures of different terrains or assign a word of a terrain feature. Have each student describe his picture or word to the class. The other students have to guess what type of terrain is being described.

Exercise 14 (Work with your instructor)
Study the map showing the RTA Logistics Support-Regt/Bn Levels below. With your previous knowledge of the US symbols for the military supplies (Module 4, Lesson 4), can you guess which symbol represents which Regt/Bn shown on the map?

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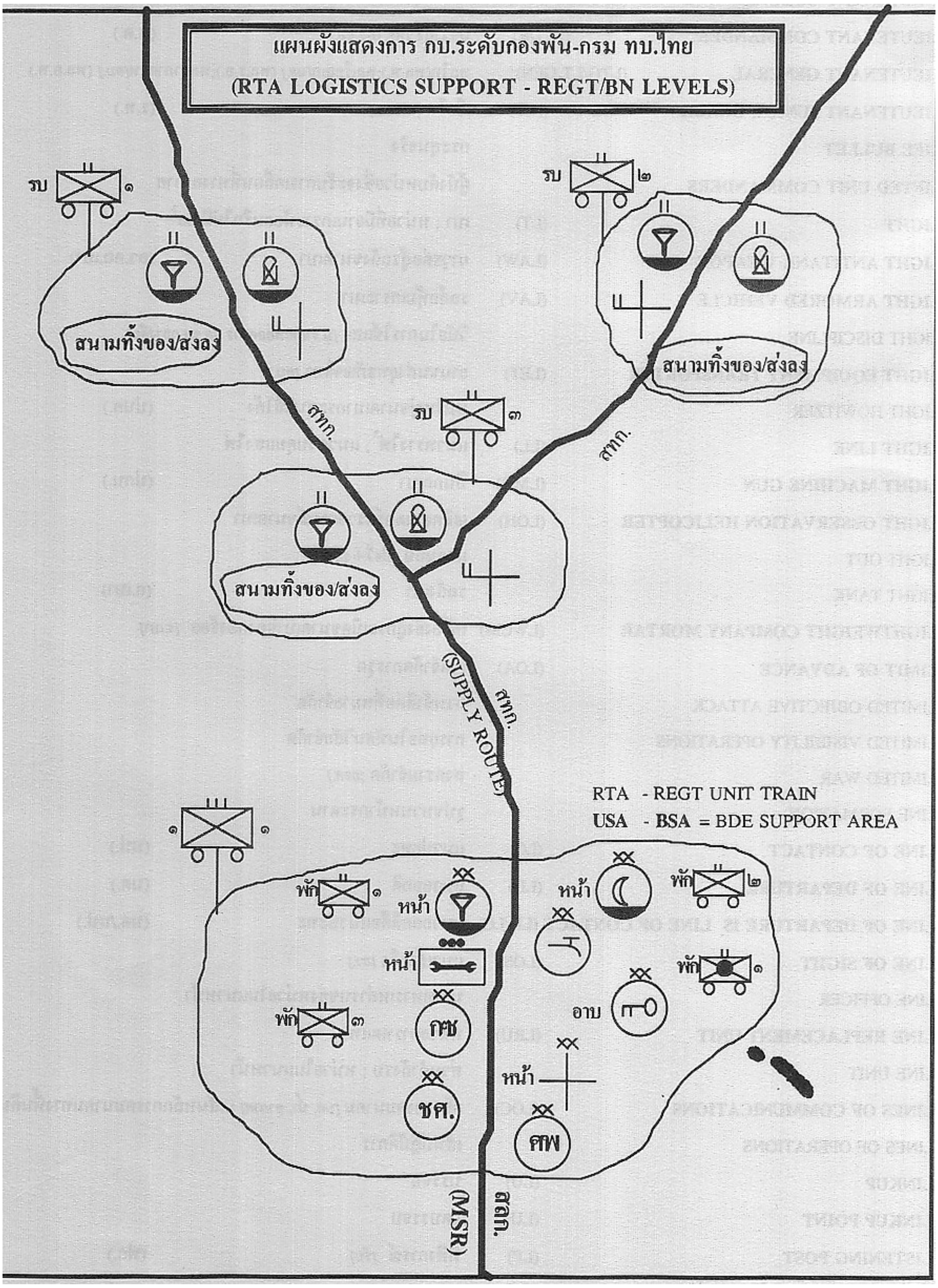

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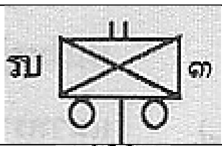
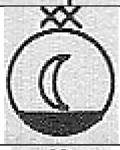
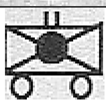
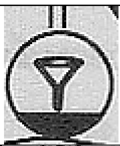
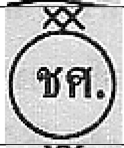
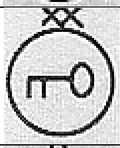
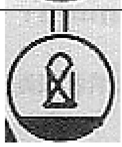
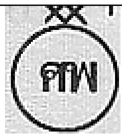
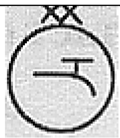
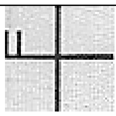
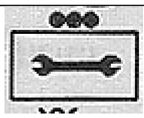
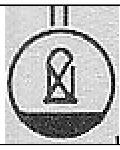
1		[illegible]
2		[illegible]
3		[illegible]

4		[illegible]
5		[illegible] [illegible]
6		[illegible] [illegible]
7		[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
8		[illegible]
9		[illegible]
10		[illegible]
11		[illegible]
12		[illegible] ([illegible])

[illegible]

MSR: Main Supply Route [illegible] ([illegible])
Supply Route: [illegible] ([illegible])
[illegible] [illegible]

1. □□□□ to be separate, far apart, distant
□□□□□□□**(□□□)** to be far, far away from
□□□□□□□ to be far from

Examples: □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
How far is the car from the tree?

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The distance between the car and the tree is 1.5 km.

2. □□□ (far) and □□□□ (near)

To the Westerner it seems particularly perverse that two words with exactly opposite meanings should sound almost the same. To the Thai of course, they don't sound the same at all. If you find your ears are not to be relied upon when it comes to distinguishing tones, it can save you some expensive taxi rides if you remember that the one you hear reduplicated (i.e. spoken twice) is usually 'near' □□□□□

3. □□□□ to forbid, prohibit, stop, restrain, it is forbidden (to).

□□□□□□□□	Do not enter
□□□□□□□□□□□□□	No smoking
(□□□) □□□□□□□□	to be forbidden
□□□□□□□□□□	Restricted area
□□□□□□□□□	to stop the bleeding

4. □□□□□□ to permit, allow

□□□
The company commander doesn't allow soldiers to take leave.

□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
The teacher allows students to go home.

□□□□□□□□ permit

□□
□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
Soldiers can leave the compound only with a permit from their commander.

5. [illegible] ‘to arrest’ or ‘to deprive of freedom’ and can often be translated as ‘catch’.

[illegible] He was arrested by the police.
[illegible] The police caught the thief.
‘[illegible]’ Catching fish is prohibited here.

BUT if you see a sign displayed in front of an object (e.g. in a museum) ‘[illegible]’ means ‘please do not touch’.

6. [illegible]**…**[illegible] whatever time… every time (cause… consequence)

[illegible]
It looks like it rains every time when we go out to the forest.

[illegible]
Whenever I open my mouth, trouble starts.

[illegible]
Whenever I talk to him, he never fails to ask for money.

7. [illegible] by the time that, before

[illegible]
If you keep eating while walking, it will be gone by the time you get home.

[illegible]
Last night I worked so late, by the time I got to go to bed it was 2 a.m.

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[illegible]	by the time that, before (See Grammar Notes)
[illegible]	traffic
[illegible]	air strike
[illegible]	warning
[illegible]	far from
[illegible]	to push the car
[illegible]	last time
[illegible]	canal
[illegible]	to control
[illegible]	speed
[illegible]	the engine quits
[illegible]	sign
[illegible]	to park
[illegible]	limited
[illegible]	to remember, to be able to recall
[illegible]	spur
[illegible]	mechanic
[illegible]	shoreline
[illegible]	be close to the left
[illegible]	mountain
[illegible]	permitted
[illegible]	to check
[illegible]	bank (of a river, canal)
[illegible]	one-way street
[illegible]	secondary street
[illegible]	main street
[illegible]	curve
[illegible]	rail road
[illegible]/[illegible]	mountain range
[illegible]	direction
[illegible]	parking
[illegible]	depression
[illegible]	plain
[illegible]…[illegible]	whatever time… every time (See Grammar Notes)
[illegible]/[illegible]	dense, thick
[illegible]	expression of agreement
[illegible]	parallel line
[illegible]	drivers license
[illegible]	covered

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[illegible]	gigantic catfish
[illegible]	forest
[illegible]	sign, poster, placard, label, tag
[illegible]	road sign
[illegible]	bus stop
[illegible]	rain
[illegible]	it rains
[illegible]	ground
[illegible]	area
[illegible]	traffic light
[illegible]	scale
[illegible]	peak
[illegible]	it doesn’t look like (something is going to happen)
[illegible]	to be diagonally opposite (from)
[illegible]	bicycle
[illegible]	motorcycle
[illegible]	two-way street
[illegible]	trailer
[illegible]	on coming car
[illegible]	pedicab
[illegible]	distance on the map
[illegible]	actual distance on the ground.
[illegible]	range
[illegible]	farm shack
[illegible]	terrain
[illegible]	slippery
[illegible]	circle
[illegible]	can’t get the car start
[illegible]	condition
[illegible]	draw bridge
[illegible]	ridge
[illegible]/[illegible]	to be late
[illegible]	intersection
[illegible]	end of restricted zone
[illegible] ([illegible])	to be broken (a car)
[illegible]	cliff
[illegible]	dense fog
[illegible]/[illegible]	to stop
[illegible]	various
[illegible]	prohibited
[illegible]	no U turn

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[illegible]	no parking
[illegible]	do not pass
[illegible]	limestone
[illegible]	valley
[illegible]	canyon
[illegible]	to yield to another vehicle
[illegible]	saddle
[illegible]	go out into the forest
[illegible]	danger
[illegible]	to be fertile
[illegible]	national park
[illegible]	tunnel
[illegible]/[illegible]	basin

Terrain Features

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The most conspicuous features of Thailand's terrain are high mountains, a central plain, and an upland plateau. Mountains cover much of northern Thailand and extend along the Myanmar border down through the Malay Peninsula. The central plain is a lowland area drained by the Chao Phraya and its tributaries, the country's principal river system, which feeds into the delta at the head of the Bight of Bangkok. The Chao Phraya system drains about one-third of the nation's territory. In the northeastern part of the country the Khorat Plateau, a region of gently rolling low hills and shallow lakes, drains into the Mekong River through the Mae Nam Mun. The Mekong system empties into the South China Sea and includes a series of canals and dams. Together, the Chao Phraya and Mekong systems sustain Thailand's agricultural economy by supporting wet-rice cultivation and providing waterways for the transport of goods and people. In contrast, the distinguishing natural features of peninsular Thailand are long coastlines, offshore islands, and diminishing mangrove swamps.

Application Activities
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Activity 1
You want to find out the travel distances between the cities in Thailand. Your partner will provide you with the information according to the table below. When you get the information, ask your partner to change kilometers into miles. Use the following example as a guide through the conversation:

[illegible]

76	[illegible]										
105	31	[illegible]									
142	71	40	[illegible]								
194	121	92	53	[illegible]							
219	159	119	83	42	[illegible]						
240	172	141	101	64	50	[illegible]					
385	289	258	218	181	167	117	[illegible]				
426	357	326	286	249	234	185	68	[illegible]			
599	531	500	460	423	408	359	241	174	[illegible]		
670	602	571	531	494	479	428	316	244	71	[illegible]	
696	623	592	552	515	500	449	337	265	98	21	[illegible]

Example: [illegible]
623 [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
387 [illegible]

a. [illegible]	[illegible]	76 км
b. [illegible]	[illegible]	92 км
c. [illegible]	[illegible]	101 км
d. [illegible]	[illegible]	423 км
e. [illegible]	[illegible]	265 км
f. [illegible]	[illegible]	219 км

Answers: a.47 miles b.57 miles c.63 miles d.263 miles e.165 miles f.136 miles.

Activity 2

Ask and answer questions about the distances between your classroom and the following places. The distances don't need to be exact.

1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
6. [illegible]

Application Activities
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Activity 3

Listen to Manvika (instructor) telling the distances between her home and other places and fill in the information below.

> Instructor's reading:
> [illegible]
>
> Answers:
> 1. 500 m
> 2. 6.1 km
> 3. 6 km
> 4. 100 m

1. The distance between the store and Manvika's house is ____________________.

2. The distance between the school and Manvika's house is ___________________.

3. The distance between the bus station and the school is ____________________.

4. The distance between Manvika's house and the bus station is _______________.

Activity 4

You and your partner will choose between the role of a policeman and a driver. First, read the dialogue below and underline all words that describe permission and/or prohibition. Second, answer the questions below.

A. [illegible]
B. [illegible]
A. [illegible]
B. [illegible]

A. [illegible]

B. [illegible]

A. [illegible]

1. Why did the policeman ask the driver to move his car?
2. Why couldn't the driver move his car?
3. What did the driver ask the policeman to do?

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> Answers:
> A. [illegible]
> A. [illegible]
> A. [illegible]
>
> 1. Because the driver parked at the bus stop.
> 2. Because he couldn’t get his car start.
> 3. To help him push the car.

Activity 5
You have just arrived in Bangkok and you want to get some information about the traffic rules, speed limits and parking permissions. Your Thai counterpart (your partner) will give you the information.

You: Ask what is the speed limit in the town center.
Your partner: Say that the speed limit is 35km/h.
You: Ask how long you can park here.
Your partner: Say that he/she can park here for 2 hours only.
You: Ask where can you drive the speed of 100 km/h.
Your partner: Say that he/she can drive that speed only on the highway.
You: Ask if there are a lot of one-way streets in the city.
Your partner: Say that there are more two-way streets.

> Answers:
> A. [illegible]
> B. [illegible]
> A. [illegible]
> B. [illegible]
> A. [illegible]
> B. [illegible]
> A. [illegible]
> B. [illegible]

Activity 6
Look at the information about Phu Kradueng in the remote northea st province of Loei, and fill in the chart below.

1. Point of interest	______________________ ______________________

2. Type of forest 3. The highest peak 4. The area size	______________________________

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[illegible]

[illegible]:[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]: 349 [illegible]
[illegible].

[illegible]: 1,360 [illegible].
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]: [illegible]

Answers:

1. Point of interest 2. Type of forest 3. The highest peak 4. The area size	High mountain with flat top (Plateau) Tropical evergreen forest 1,360 m above sea level 349 sq km

Activity 7
Read the text about the southern part of Thailand and decide if the statements are true or false.

[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]
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[illegible]
[illegible]
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[illegible]
[illegible]
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T / F

1. The distinguishing natural feature of southern Thailand is dense forest. ________

2. Mountains are located along the coastlines in the western part of the peninsular. ________

3. The plain occupies a large amount of the whole area. ________

4. The plains in the east coast are wider than the west coast. ________

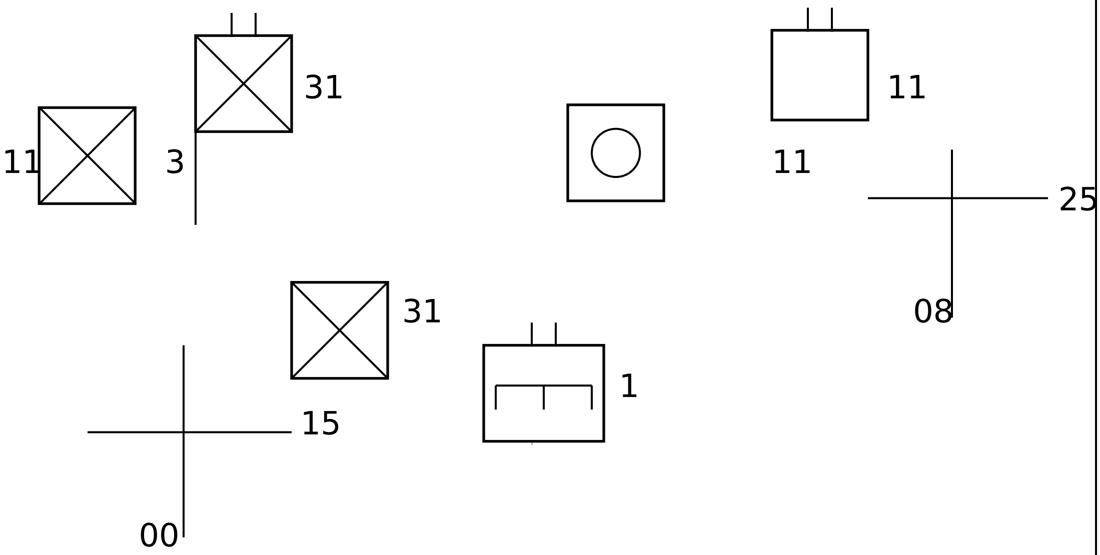
5. The elevation on the west coast is higher than the east coast. ________

6. Mangrove swamps in the area are diminishing. ________

Answers: 1.F 2.T 3.F 4.T 5.T 6.T

Activity 8

Identify the symbols on the military map.



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Answers:

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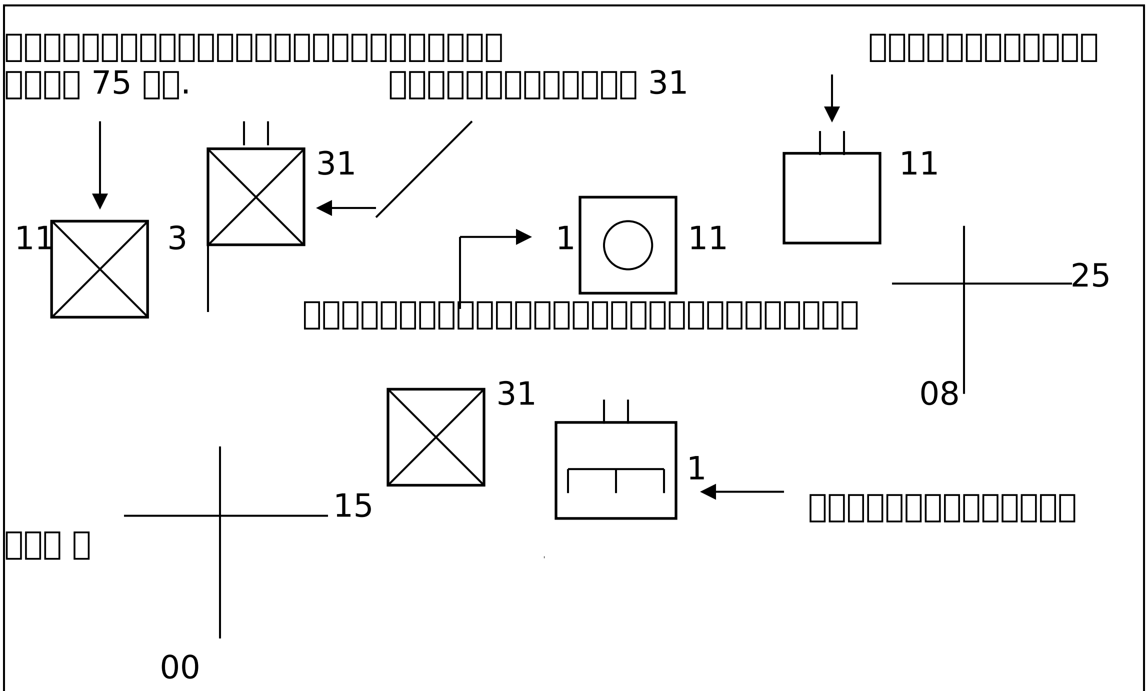

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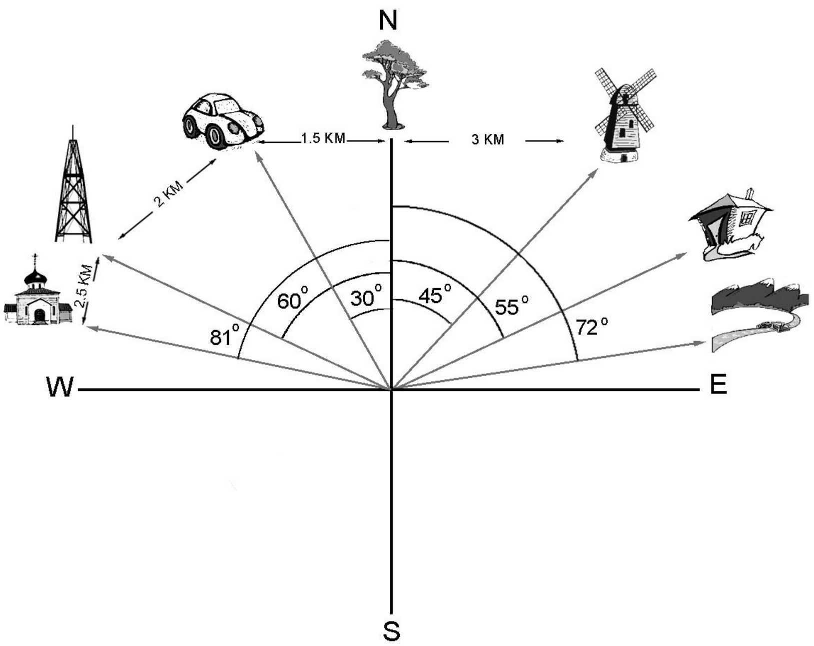
Activity 1 (Pair Work)
One student reads the sentences to his partner and the other one looks at the image and determines if the statements are **T**rue or **F**alse. Reverse roles.



1. ________ [illegible]
2. ________ [illegible]
3. ________ [illegible]
4. ________ [illegible]
5. ________ [illegible]
6. ________ [illegible]
7. ________ [illegible]

8. ________ [illegible]

9. ________ [illegible]

10. ________ [illegible]

Answers:	1.F	2.F	3.T	4.T	5.F	6.F	7.T	8.F
9.T	10.T							

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Activity 2

Read the text about Doi Inthanon National Park, and decide if the statements are true or false.

[illegible] 2,599 [illegible]

T / F

1. Doi Inthanon National Park is close to Chiang Mai town. ________
2. It is one of the best mountain national parks in Thailand. ________
3. At 2,565 meters, Doi Inthanon is Thailand's highest peak. ________
4. Home to nearly 400 bird species and hailed as the Mecca of Thailand's bird watchers. ________

Answers: 1.T	2.T	3.F	4.T

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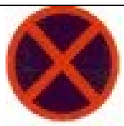
Activity 3
Match the following road signs with their descriptions.

a. 	1. □□□□□□□
b.	2. □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
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f.	6. □□□□□□□□□□□
g.	7. □□□□□□□□
h.	8. □□□□□□□□□□□□□□

Answers: 1.f 2.c 3.g 4.b 5.h 6.a 7.d 8.e

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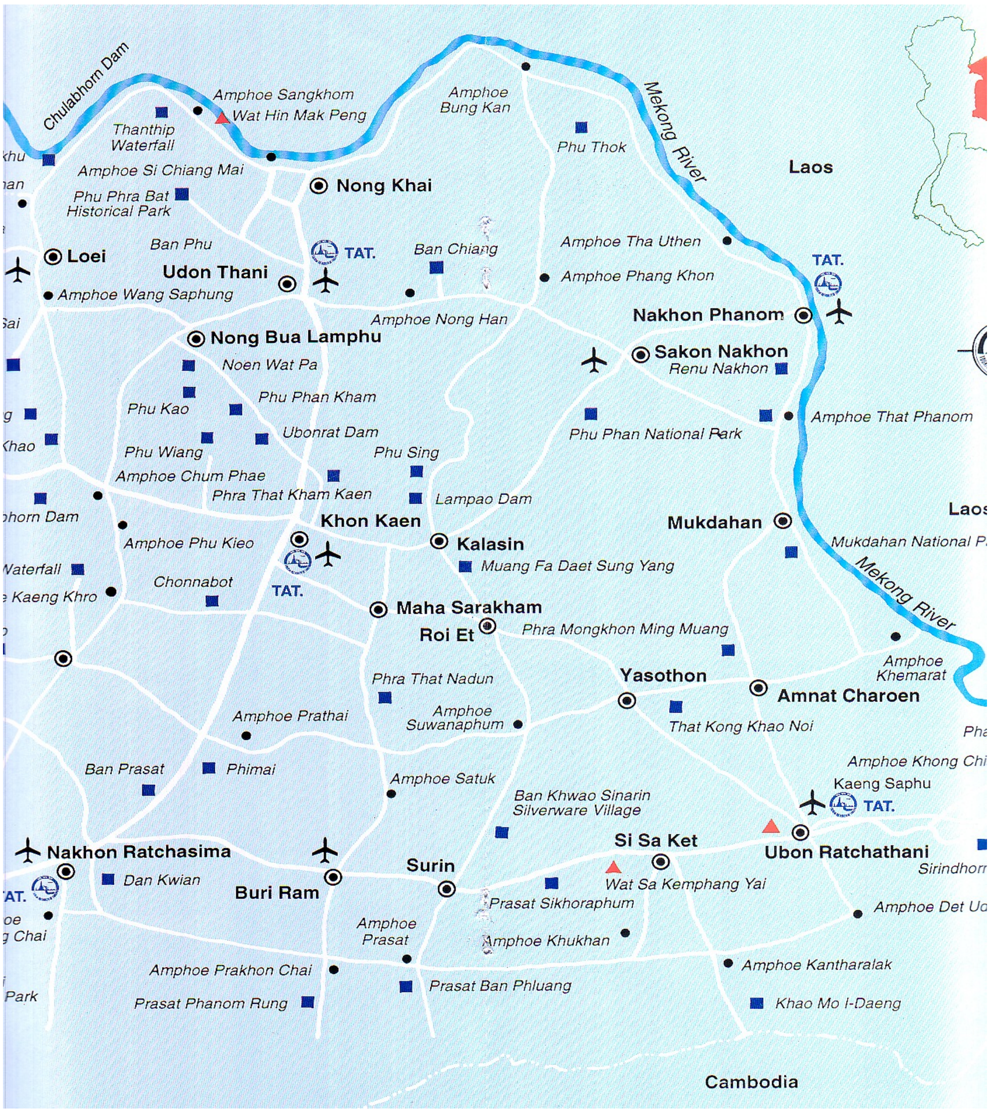
Activity 4
Look at the map of NE Thailand and answer the following questions with your instructor.



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2. ◻◻◻
3. ◻◻◻
4. ◻◻
5. ◻◻
6. ◻◻

7. จังหวัดร้อยเอ็ดอยู่ใกล้กับจังหวัดอะไรมากที่สุด

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Activity 5

Class activity. With your instructor, label the drawing below.

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______ □□□□□□□ ______ □□□□□□□□□□ ______ □□
______ □□□□□□ ______ □□□□ ______ □□□□□□□
______ □□□□□□ ______ □□□□□□ ______ □□□□□□

Activity 6

Complete the sentence for each picture by writing the appropriate word in the blank. Choose some of the vocabulary from the list.

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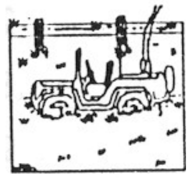
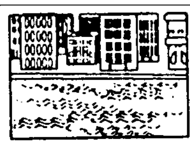
1. □□□□□□□□ __________	
2. □□□□□□□□□□ _______ □□□□□□□□	

3. □□□□□□□□□□□□□ ______________	

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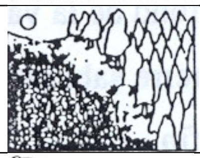
Activity 6 (continued)

4. [illegible] ___________	
5. [illegible] _______	
6. [illegible] ___________	

Answers:
1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
6. [illegible]

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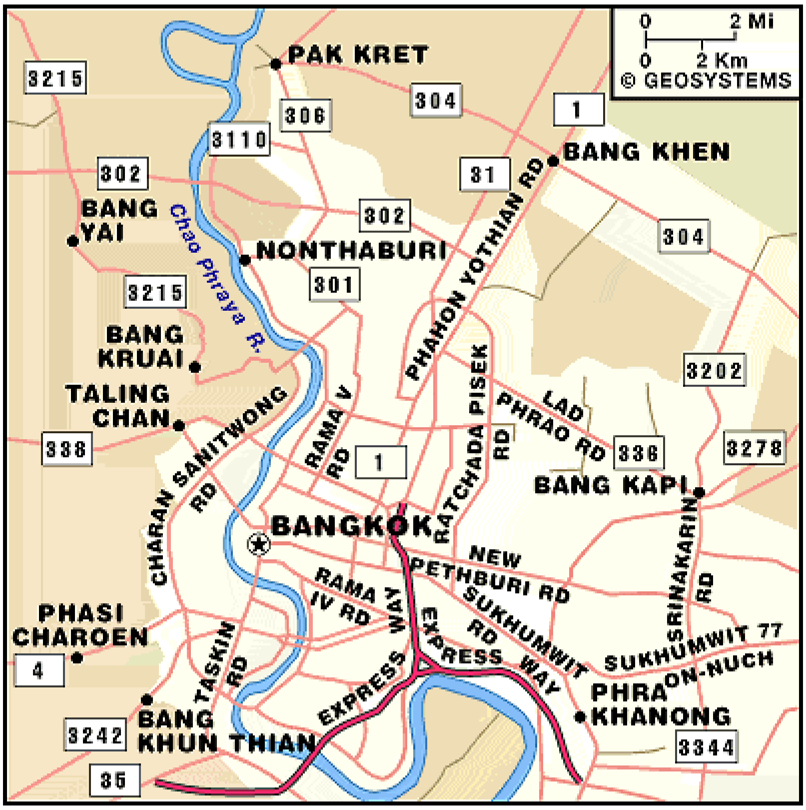
Activity 7

Look at the map of Bangkok and its vicinity below. Use the scale on the map to determine the distances (in Km and Mi) between the following locations.



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4. □□□□□□□□□□□-□□□□□□□□□
5. □□□□□□□-□□□□□□□□

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Activity 8
Your partner is driving, but he doesn't know the meaning of the road signs. As his co-pilot, give him commands to indicate to him what he should or shouldn't do when seeing the following signs. He will try to draw the sign you saw. Then change roles.

Student A

Student B

Activity 9 (Pair Work)
After a briefing, you and a Thai counterpart are discussing the possible location of a base camp. Unfortunately, both of you took incomplete notes and have to pool your information to reconstruct the map you've been shown. Take turns asking and answering questions and enter the information on your map.

Student A

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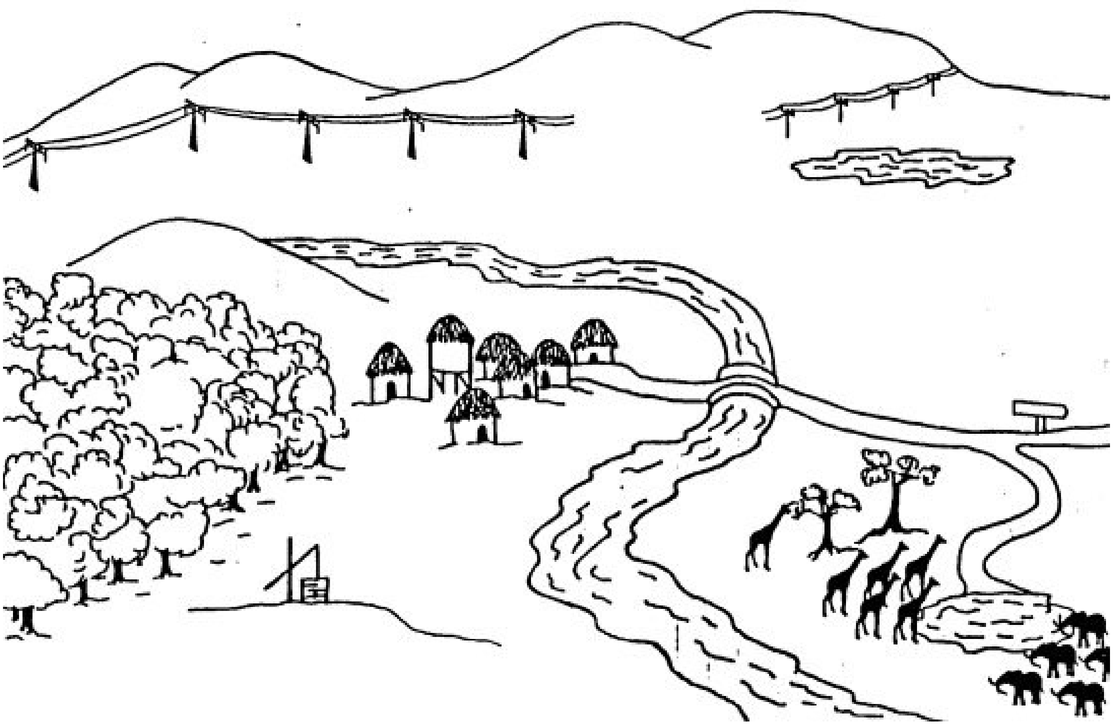
1. บ่อน้ำบาดาลอยู่ที่ไหน
2. บึง/หนอง/แอ่งน้ำอยู่ที่ไหน
3. เสาไฟฟ้าอยู่ที่ไหน
4. บ่อน้ำอยู่ที่ไหน

Student B



1. โรงนาอยู่ที่ไหน
2. น้ำตกอยู่ที่ไหน
3. ทุ่งนาอยู่ที่ไหน
4. สะพานอยู่ที่ไหน

Homework
Module 4 Lesson 5

Activity 1

Read the text about the Mekong River and select the appropriate phrases to finish the sentences.

[illegible]

1. The Mekong is one of the important rivers in
   a. Europe.
   b. Asia.
   c. China.

2. The River originates in
   a. Tibet.
   b. Beijing.
   c. Vietnam.

3. The River forms the natural border between Thailand and Laos throughout much
   of ______ Thailand.
   a. NE
   b. SE
   c. N

4. The Mekong River is the natural habitat of the
   a. gigantic catfish.
   b. crab.
   c. shrimp.

Answers: 1.b 2.a 3.a 4.a

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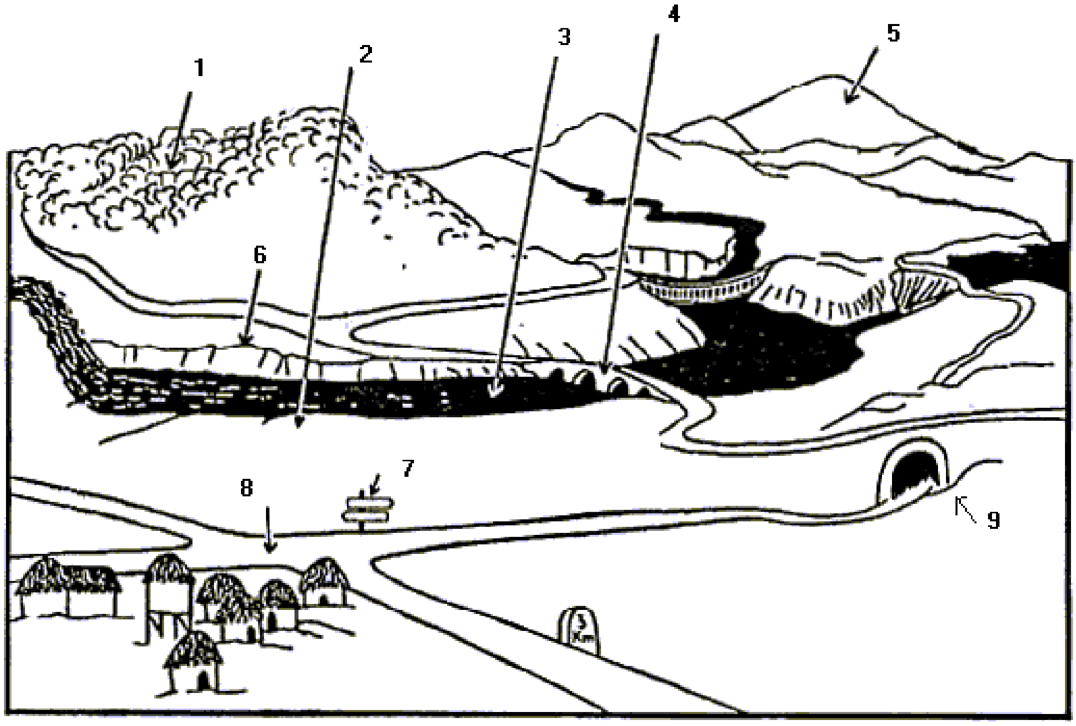
Activity 2
Write the name of terrain features in Thai.



1. ____________ 2. ____________ 3. ____________ 4. ____________

5. ____________ 6. ____________ 7. ____________ 8. ____________

9. ____________

Answers: 1.[illegible] 2.[illegible] 3. [illegible] 4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
6. [illegible] 7. [illegible] 8. [illegible] 9. [illegible]

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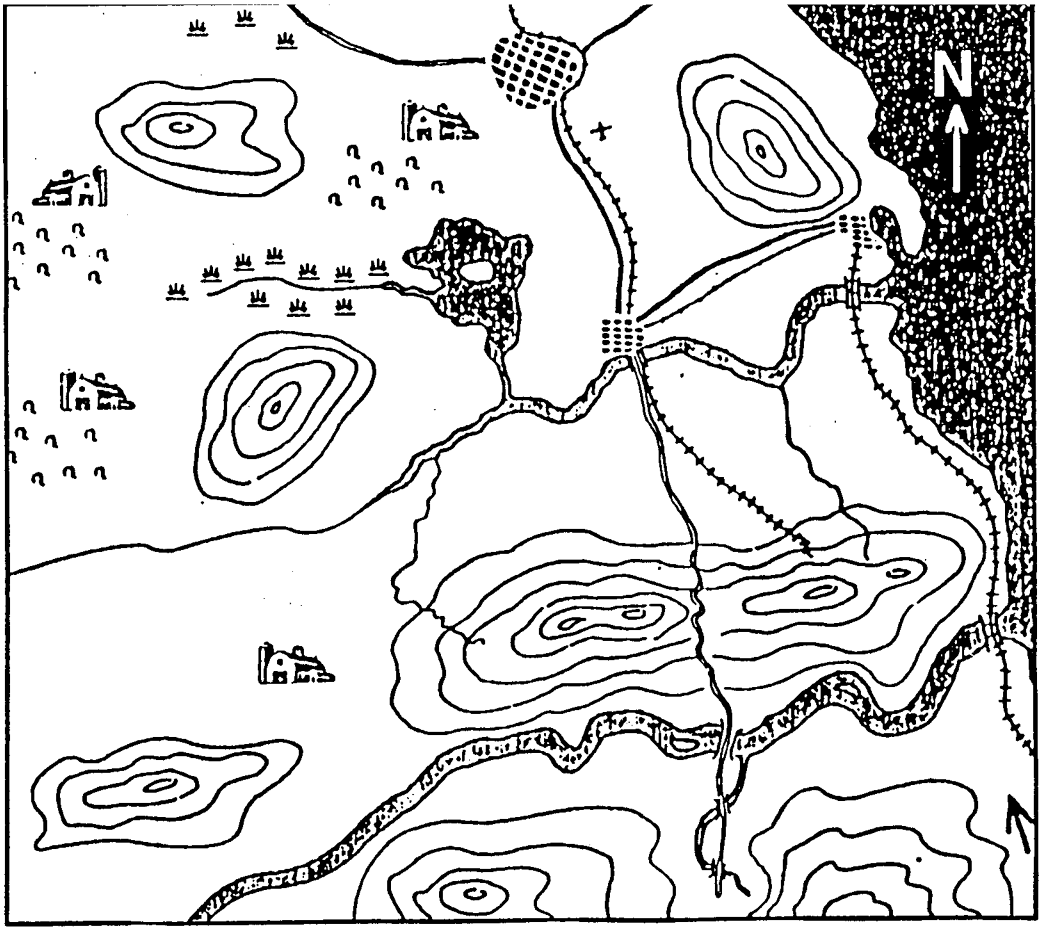
Activity 3
During a nighttime amphibious landing, you have been dropped off at point X near the coast. Your contact person is giving you directions on how to get to the camp of an A team. Listen to the instructions and draw the route you have to follow on the map.



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Activity 4
Write a short paragraph in which you describe the geography and terrain of your home state.

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Activity 5

Listen to the travel information and complete the following sentences.

1. The province mention is ___________.
   a. Saraburi
   b. Chonburi
   c. Loburi

2. The province is only _______ km from Bangkok.
   a. 18
   b. 81
   c. 87

3. You can take the highway ___________.
   a. 34/304
   b. 3/34
   c. All of the above

4. Motor Way is a new toll-way from __________.
   a. Bangkok to Pattaya
   b. Bangkok to Chantaburi
   c. Bangkok to Phetburi

5. If you prefer to go by bus, you can board the bus at the ________ Bus Terminal.
   a. Ekamai
   b. Nonthaburi
   c. Pakret

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4. ใช้เส้นทางหลวงพิเศษ (MOTOR WAY) สายกรุงเทพฯ-ชลบุรี-พัทยา
หรือถ้าไม่สะดวกจะใช้บริการรถโดยสารประจำทาง ก็สามารถไปขึ้นรถได้ที่ สถานีขนส่งเอกมัยและหมอชิต

Answers: 1) b 2) b 3) c 4) a 5) a

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Activity 6
Listen to the text and write down if the statements are True or False.

T / F

1. Chonburi is in the west of Thailand. _______

2. It has the area of 4353 sq km. _______

3. The province comprises 10 districts and 1 sub-district.
____

4. Pattaya used to be one of the districts in Chonburi.
____

5. Chonburi borders Rayong to the north. _
______

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กิโลเมตร ประกอบไปด้วย 10 อำเภอและ 1 กิ่งอำเภอ คือ
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อำเภอบ้านบึง อำเภอ พานทอง อำเภอบ่อทอง อำเภอ
ศรีราชา อำเภอบางละมุง อำเภอสัตหีบ อำเภอเกาะสีชังและกิ่งอำเภอเกาะจันทร์ หลายๆ คนอาจนึกสงสัยว่า
ทำไมจึงไม่มี พัทยา รวมอยู่ด้วย เดิม พัทยา เคยอยู่รวมกับชลบุรี แต่ต่อมาได้แยกออกเป็นเมือง ที่บริหารปกครองด้วยตนเองโดยแล้ว แต่สำหรับนักท่องเที่ยว
ทั่วไป ถ้าได้มีโอกาส มาพักผ่อนท่องเที่ยวแถบนี้ ก็มักจะแวะทั้งชลบุรีและพัทยาเพราะอยู่ใกล้กัน และเส้นทางคมนาคมก็สะดวกรวดเร็วดีทีเดียว อาณาเขตของจังหวัดชลบุรี ทางทิศเหนือ ติดกับฉะเชิงเทราและสมุทรปราการทิศใต้ติดกับระยอง ทิศตะวันออกติดกับจันทบุรี ส่วนทิศตะวันตกเป็นทะเลอ่าวไทย

Answers: 1. F 2. F 3. T 4. T 5. F